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In re Application of:

CHIEN et al.

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**DECISION ON REQUEST TO WITHDRAW** 

FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the request to withdraw as attorney of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36, filed August 18, 2003.

A grantable request to withdraw as attorney of record must be signed by every attorney seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least thirty (30) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period, which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

The request meets all the above stated requirements. The request was signed by Mord Michael Lewis on behalf of himself.

The request is **APPROVED**.

Winston Hsu remains as attorney of record at this time. It is noted that this application is now abandoned.

All future communications from the Office will continue to be directed to the above address until otherwise notified by applicant.

Inquiries related to this decision should be directed to Clayton E. LaBalle at (703) 308-0519.

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